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1. PAR STENBACK, VICE CHAIRMAN OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE IN PARLIAMENT AND ALSO MEMBER OF IMPORTANT FINANCE COMMITTEE, HAS NOW MADE FIRM DECISION TO USE HIS IVP GRANT WHICH HAS BEEN CARRIED OVER FROM THE FY 1975 IVP PROGRAM. HE WILL DEPART FINLAND FOR THE U.S. ON JUNE 15TH WITH ARRIVAL THE SAME DAY. EXACT ETA WILL BE FORWARDED AS SOON AS FLIGHT RESERVATIONS ARE CONFIRMED.

2. STENBACK'S CHIEF INTERESTS IN THE U.S. WILL BE FOREIGN POLICY, URBAN PALNNING, FEDERAL AND STATE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY, THE U.S. ELECTION CAMPAIGN, THE BICENTENNIAL, U.S. ART AND CULTURE, AND U.S. COASTAL FISHING.

3. HE WOULD LIKE TO STUDY THESE SUBJECTS IN THE FOLLOWING CITIES:

WASHINGTON D.C. WHERE HE WOULD LIKE TO MEET APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS OF DEPARTMENT OF STATE, U.S. SENATOR ROBERT STAFFORD AND CONGRESSMAN ROBERT MCCLORY (BOTH OF WHOM HE KNOWS PERSONALLY) AS WELL AS APPROPRIATE REPRESENTATIVE OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN REALTIONS. HE WOULD ALSO LIKE BRIEFING AT CEQ OR EPA ON CURRENT ISSUES AND PROBLEMS IN ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL AND ALSO OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT NATIONAL ART GALLERY AND SEE PERFORMANCE AT JFK CENTER.

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NORFOLK, VIRGINIA HE WOULD LIKE AN OPPORTUNITY TO GO

ABOARD A MAJOR U.S. NAVAL SHIP PREFERABLY AN AIRCRAFT CARRIER IN ORDER TO OBSERVE LAUNCH AND RECOVERY OPERATIONS. THIS COULD BE COMBINED WITH A VISIT AND BRIEFING AT SACLANT HEADQUARTERS. IF VISIT TO NAVAL VESSEL CAN BE ARRANGED, IN NORFOLK AREA, HE WOULD ALSO WANT TO VISIT WILLIAMSBURG. IF NAVAL VISIT NOT POSSIBLE, HE WOULD BE WILLING TO SUBSTITUTE ATLANTA FOR NORFOLK VISIT. THERE HE WOULD BE INTERESTED IN SEEING STATE GOVERNMENT AND URBAN PLANNING DEVELOPMENTS.

NEW ORLEANS HIS INTEREST IS PRINCIPALLY IN GETTING A GENERAL IMPRESSION OF THIS MAJOR SOUTHERN CITY AND TO SEE ANY CULTURAL ATTRACTIONS AVAILABLE AT THAT TIME. TULANE UNIVERSITY WOULD ALSO BE OF INTEREST.

HOUSTON, TEXAS VISIT TO SPACE CENTER, URBAN PALNNG DEVELOPMENTS, GENERAL SIGHTSEEING INCLUDING BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.

LOS ANGES URBAN PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL ARE HIS MAIN INTERESTS HERE. HE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO VISIT SCANDINAVIA DEPARTMENTS OF USC OR UCLA, AND TO SPEND A DAY WITH THE AFS FAMILY WITH WHOM HIS WIFE STAYED FOR ONE YEAR. THEIR NAME AND ADDRESS WILL BE FORWARDED IN NEAR FUTURE.

SALEM, OREGON STATE GOVERNMENT ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY WITH SIDETRIp PERHAPS TO ASTORIA, OREGON TO OBSERVE THIS FINNISH COMMUNITY AND FISHING INDUSTRY. SEATTLE, WASHINGTON IS AN ALTERNATIVE CHOICE IN CASE OREGON PROGRAM CAN NOT BE WORKED OUT.

MONTANA - YELLOWSTONE PARK HE WOULD LIKE TO FLY TO BILLINGS OR ANOTHER CONVENIENT POINT FOR VISITING THE NATIONAL PARK. HE WOULD LIKE TO RENT A CAR FOR TWO DAYS AND DRIVE BY HIMSELF THROUGH THE PARK, PERHAPS OVERNIGHTING IN THE PARK.

CHICAGO FOR VISTS TO THE MAJOR MUSEUMS AND TO SEE URBAN PLANNING DEVELOPMENTS.

NEW YORK FOR HALF DAY VISIT TO DEMOCRATIC PARTY
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NATIONAL CONVENTION AND FOR OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT BEST ART MUSEUMS AND GALLERIES AND TO ATTEND ON PR OFF BROADWAY THEATER IF THERE ARE ANY PERFORMANCES DURING THAT TIME.

4. THROUGHOUT TRIP HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE LOCAL CELEBRATIONS OF BICENTENNIAL AND WOULD ALSO LIKE AN OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT A MAJOR NUCLEAR POWER PLANT NEAR A LARGE POPULATION AREA WHICH HAS BEEN IN OPERATION FOR SEVERAL YEARS.

5. FURTHER DETAILS WILL BE FORWARDED IN THE FUTURE.
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